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Philadelphia April 28th, 1897.

Miss Aimée Tourgée,  
Mayville, N. Y.

My dear Miss Tourgée:-

Yours of 25th, as also the seven drawings referred to, duly at hand. I had expected to-day to send you proofs of all the pictures in hand for you, but find, on reviewing them, that a certain amount of hand retouching will still be required on many of them to render them as perfect as I would like to see them. I trust to be able to forward them to you to-morrow, and will, at all events, send everything that I can finish by that time.

I am unable to find any trace of chapter XII in the material at hand here, having taken pains to trace the work and the originals in the different stages of progress from our Camera room to the finishing department.

Yours very truly,